Welcome to The Cotteridge Church Sunday 20th March 2022 Lent 3

"The calling of The Cotteridge Church is to respond to the Gospel of God's love in Christ and to live out its discipleship in worship and mission."

Prayer of the Day
Eternal God,
give us insight
to discern your will for us,
to give up what harms us,
and to seek the perfection we are promised
in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

Sunday 20th March 2022 Lent 3

10.30 Morning Worship
Judith Bell
Hymns 20, 240, 652 omit v3 715
Readers Rachel H Alison S
Readings Psalm 63 1-8 Luke 13 1-9
Organ John Tesh
6.30 Lent Study Course Caring for Creation 3

Prayer Column

We pray for our pastoral links:

Alison S: with Alan and Jo A, Chris and Giles A, and Cynthia B.

Boys' Brigade: with Philip A, Alex and Euan C, Paul C, David D, Craig G, and Robert S

We pray for those who are housebound and those in long term need:

Jackie J, Moira J, Joan C, Gill and Len S, Rod S, Myra D, Chris M, Beryl H, Keith and Mary K, Jennifer M, Ivor R

We pray for those who are ill or are in particular need of prayer: Ganna, Megan, Vinnie H, Mark T, Keith, Robin, Shirley, Jenny F, Paul S, David W, Norman and Philomena, Hazel N, Ken F, Roddy S.

We remember those who he died:

Steven Wigzell Funeral 31ST 1.00 Lodge Hill Coffee Bar 8.30 to 1.30 weekdays

Tuesday 22nd March

10.00am Holy Communion

10.30am Praying through Change

11.00am Lent Study Caring for Creation 3

2.00pm Dementia Support Group

2.00pm.Tuesday Fellowship

6.15pm Brownies, Rainbows and Guides

7.30pm Community Development committee Z

Wednesday 23rd March

3.00pm Youth Café

7.30pm Worship zoom

7.30pm Coop Gardeners

Thursday 24th March

10.30 Knit and Natter

11.00am Mother's Day celebration Join members of our Day Care Centre, C2U, Pennine Way regulars, friends and family to celebrate Mother's Day in music, song, drama and reflection.

6.30 Choir Practice

Friday 25th March

6.15pm Boys Brigade

Services Next Sunday

27th March Lent 4 Mothering Sunday

10.00am Video Reflection (YouTube)
10.30am Holy Communion Barbara Calvert

6.30pm Lent Study Caring for Creation 4

Join us for an All Age Service.

Bring along a photo of your mother or the person who raised and cared for you to help us make a display during the service. (all photos will be returned) Look out for the famous knitted daffodils and chicks

SPARK

Is a discussion group which meets at the church for an hour one Sunday evening a month. In May & June we will be exploring 2 of the parables of Jesus starting with the parable of the sower, using the commentary of William Barclay as a starting point. More information nearer the time or from Jane.

FUTURE EVENTS

Saturday 14th May The Cotteridge Church AGM Church Council Election

This is the time of the year when we look for new people to stand for Church Council. The way it works now is election to Church Council means that you will also serve one of the following Property, Community, or Pastoral and worship Nomination forms are in my pigeon hole Roger

2 hours a week

If you have a couple of hours a week you could give to the Treasury Team we would be delighted! Please have a word with Jane Stephens or Sarah in the office.

Saturday 4th June Platinum Jubilee Celebration Summer Fayre and Garden Party 1.30 to 4.30pm Saturday 25th June Away Day to be lead by Deacon Kerry Scarlett who is a Learning & Development Officer for the West Midlands region. Kerry is a Methodist Deacon who previously was a Tutor within the Centre for Ministerial Formation at the Queen's Foundation. Prior to this, Kerry's appointments included circuit ministry, workplace chaplaincy, and the development of the West Midlands Anti-Slavery Network and the Adavu Project, a Birmingham District project supporting survivors of modern slavery.

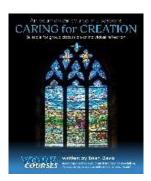
URC 50th Anniversary Saturday 1st October 22 see URC website for full details

Please ensure that all notices reach me by midnight on Thursday

revroger.collins@thecotteridgechurch.org.uk

Lent Course Caring for Creation

Sundays 6.30-7.30 Sunday March 27th 3rd April Tuesdays 11.00-12.00 Tuesday March 22nd, 29th, 5th April



- 2 Coming out of Denial and Facing Crisis
- 3 Faith Hope and Love Course Booklet £3.80 available from the Bookcentre

Cotteridge Church Book Centre Card Payments now accepted.

For Orders

Jane on 07800815074 or Roger on 07721 526854





10.99

£5.00

Lent Books and Lent Course are now available The Traidcraft Spring Catalogue is now available please ask for one

EASTER at COTTERIDGE
Sunday 10th April Palm Sunday
10.30am Holy Communion
6.30pm Taize Service
Thursday 14th April Maundy Thursday
7.30pm Holy Communion
Friday 15th April Good Friday
10.30am Morning Worship
6.30pm Evening Worship
Saturday 16th April Easter Saturday
8.00pm The Easter Ceremonies
Sunday 17th April Easter Sunday
10.30 Holy Communion

emergency food are referred to B30Foodbank by E-Voucher through a referral agent. Or call CITIZENS ADVICE 08082082138 Or call BIRMINGHAM CITY COUNCIL on 0121 216 3030 Distribution of food Clients from B30Foodbank, Quaker Friends Meeting House 23aWatford Road B30 1JB on Tuesday and Friday between 1.30 and 3.30pm enquiries info@b30.foodbank.org.uk# DONATIONS to the B30Foodbank at the Warehouse 17 Castle Road B30 3HZ on Tuesday and Fridays between 2.00 - 4.00p.m, HONE LINES FOR CLIENTS 07582 143 972 FOR DONATIONS 07985 629 201

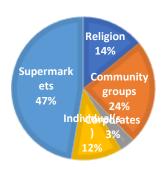


Macdonalds

Abigail

Sharon

FOOD DONATIONS LAST WEEK



We received in donations 1975k

We used 2027k feeding 191 clients

Last month we received referrals and these are the top nine

Help through Hardship		68
The Project	48	
BCC Northfield Neighbourhoo	39	
b30foodbank vouchers		30
Change Grow Live	21	
BCC Emergency Hub		16
Erdington Advice Centre		12
Provident Housing	12	
Birmingham Children's Trust	10	

Urgently needed

Tinned potatoes, rice, long life fruit juice, instant coffee (not decaffeinated), teabags (40's or 80's), sugar 500g (not larger), crisps, gender neutral shampoo, toothpaste, toilet rolls, dog/cat food, strong carrier bags.

Low in stock

Tinned fruit in juice (not prunes or grapefruit), cereal (not greater than 500g), squash, UHT semi-skimmed milk, UHT whole milk, tinned rice pudding, jam/honey, readymade custard (tinned or carton - not powder), tinned spaghetti, chocolate and snack bars, liquid/bar soap, laundry power/liquid (not family sized).

Well stocked

Pasta shapes, dry spaghetti, baked beans, tinned/packet vegetarian meals, tinned tomatoes, tinned fish, pasta sauce, tinned meat (ham, corned beef, pork sandwich, pulled pork, chicken), instant hot chocolate (not cocoa powder), tinned/packet soup, tinned vegetables, biscuits, porridge, noodles, instant potato, nappies all sizes, baby food and baby care items, gender neutral shower gel, roll-on deodorants, sanitary pads, baby wipes, washing-up liquid, single or duo wrapped toothbrushes

Not needed at all

Decaffeinated drinks or fruit infusions, bottled water, large bottles of lemonade or coke, any food or toiletries containing alcohol, cooking ingredient or sauces, tinned macaroni cheese, fresh products (including vegetable, meat, eggs and bread), non-dairy items, gluten-free items, coffee beans, loose tea, large boxes of teabags (120's or more), very large large bags or boxes of porridge and cereal, cocoa power, tampons, make up hair accessories, perfume or aftershave, Christmas items